1	2	3
22.	Rajasthan	8905
23.	Sikkim	4314
24.	Tamil Nadu	11271
25.	Tripura	0
26.	Uttar Pradesh	3008
27.	Uttaranchal	398
28.	West Bengal	802
	TOTAL	**101306**

Grant to NGO's and Trade Unions for Child Labour

965. SHRI RAMACHANDRA KHUNTIA: Will the Minister of LABOUR be pleased to state:

(a) whether Government provide grants to certain NGOs and Trade Unions for Child Labour Elimination Programmes and for running schools for them;

(b) if so, the assistance provide to NGOs and Trade Unions for the purpose during the last three years; and

(c) the steps taken by Government to rehabilitate families of 1,12,85,349 identified child labourers across the country?

THE MINISTRY OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF LABOUR (SHRI ASHOK PRADHAN): (a) and (b) Government of India, under the scheme of Grants-in-aid to Voluntary Organisations provide financial assistance to the eligible Voluntary/Non-Governmental Organisations for running special schools for the rehabilitation of child labourers. Grants have not been provided for Trade Unions for undertaking the above scheme. The details of assistance provided to NGOs during the last three years are at Annexure-A, B & C.

(c) The Government seeks to rehabilitate working children under the Child Labour Schemes. An attempt is made to give priority to the parents of child labour, wherever possible, under the existing employment generation and poverty alleviation schemes.